IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE.

Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, Virginia USA

Re: Application Serial No. 10/807,465 Applicant: Guenther Ruhe Title: Release Planning Art unit: 2192 Examiner Ben Wang

Filed: March 24, 2004

Applicant requests an extension of time of one month in which to file the response.

This response is filed together with a request for continued examination.

The fees for the extension and RCE are submitted herewith.

In response to the official action dated November 13, 2008, please amend the above identified application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are contained in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.